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TITLE OF INVENTION: FLUID-DYNAMIC-PRESSURE BEARING, SPINDLE MOTOR FURNISHED WITH THE FLUID-DYNAMIC-PRESSURE BEARING, METHOD OF MANUFACTURING ROTOR ASSEMBLY APPLIED IN THE SPINDLE MOTOR, AND RECORDING-DISK DRIVE FURNISHED WITH THE SPINDLE MOTOR

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